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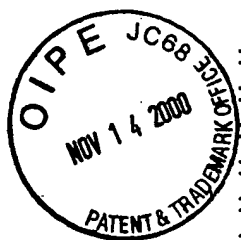
In re Application of

J. Peter KLEIN et al.

Serial No.: 09/544,984

Filed: April 07, 2000

For: THERAPEUTIC COMPOUNDS FOR INHIBITING INTERLEUKIN-12 SIGNALING
AND METHODS FOR USING SAME



Group Art Unit: 1614

Examiner:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated June 29, 2000, now due to expire August 29, 2000, be extended for three months and set to expire on November 29, 2000.

Please charge the extension fee of \$445.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417.

Respectfully submitted,

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